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APPARATUS USING A SINGLE REMOTE CONTROL DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: